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CHANGE NO: 7	TO (No.)	TITLE: Near-Infrared Transmittance (NIRT) Handbook		DATE: 3-24-08

SUMMARY OF CHANGE(S) OR REMARKS: The NIRT Handbook Chapter 3 has been revised and reformatted to remove the testing requirements for analyzing two sets of Standard Reference Samples (SRS) if an instrument has been out of service more than two weeks and that instruments be kept within Level III bias tolerance at all times for approved calibrations. Additional revisions include minor editorial changes to certification statements for Soybean Protein and Oil.

Specifically, changes were made to Chapter 3 section 3.1, d (2), 3.2, a (2), 3.3, a. (2), 3.4, a. (2), 3.5, a (2); Chapter 4 section 4.7, d, (1), (2), & (3), and Chapter 5 section 5.4, a (3).

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Retain Issuance Change Sheet as an aid in verifying handbook content.

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